### OFF FOR BINGHAMTON.

PREPARE FOR THE CONVENTION OF

REPUBLICAN CLUBS

ally I favor local option, and I think that will attend and that the discussion

be presided over by Mayor George E Binghamton, who is president of the Republicans who attend the convention.

# A BLOW TO THE ALDERMEN'S AMBITION.

THE CITY FATHERS PICNIC PARTY WILL NOT BE SALUTED BY NATIONAL GUNS

Many propositions have been made since scheme for the Aldermanic picnic of next Thursday was started for adding dignity to the affair. The new Aldermen's flag is an outgrowth of the Some one desirous of adding one more joke to the many got up at the expense of the Aldermen suggested to the Outing Committee that it would be a good thing to have a salute fired in honor of the Aldermanic party as its steamer sailed past Castle Williams on September 5.

Alderman Goodman, the chairman of the Outing Committee, was pleased with the idea, and a friend offered to obtain from the Secretary of War the necessary consent for the firing of a salute from National guns for the Mayor and Aldermen of New-York. Yesterday Alderman Goodman received a letter from his friend accompanied by a copy of the Army regulations, duly marked. r and the cited clauses of the regulations made it plain that no civilian less than the full-fledged Governor of a State could receive a National salute. The Mayor and the Board of Aldermen, it was shown, were "not in it" so far as curtesies of this were concerned. A committee of Congress might be saluted, but not the representatives of a

lesser legislative body.

Alderman Goodman denied having made the request for a salute from the Governor's Island fort, but a majority of the Clambake Committee decided yesterday that the laugh was on him.

# LEONARD E. GUTMAN IN COURT.

HE SAYS HE WAS DRUNK WHEN HE ATTEMPTED

SUICIDE AND HIS PHYSICIAN SAYS HE WAS NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Leonard E. Gutman of No. L045 Madison-ave. the young business man who is alleged to have attempted suicide by shooting in Central Park on Thursday night, was arraigned in Yorkville Court yesterday afternoon. Gutman seemed weak and nervous. Policeman Bray, who made the arrest, could give no evidence as to the shooting. Bella Allen, who gave her address as Hotel Imperial, the man who was in the cab with Gutman, could throw little light on the affair. She said she and Guiman dined with two friends-Bertha Leonard and Charles J. Waxelbaum-at the Park Casino. Gutman, she said, drank heavily and was much in xicated when they finally left the Casino to go to Mount St. Vincent

Presently Gutman exclaimed: "I don't feel well," and the next she knew came a flash and the re-port of a pistol. She jumped out of the carriage, and that was all she knew of the affair.

The defendant took the stand. "I don't recollect thing about the shooting," he said. "I had been drinking very heavily at the Casino and the Arena nd when I entered the carriage to leave the place I was much intoxicated. There was no reason why I should attempt suicide. Ail of my home and busihess relations were of the pleasantest. I d.d not know what I was about. The incidents of the night after leaving the Cusino are all a blank to me. I have been under medical treatment for some time. and have been cautioned by my physician not to

Gutman's physician, Dr. Henry Herzhowvits, of No. 22 East Sixty-third-st, said he had treated the defendant for nervous prestration since August 1.

defendant for nervous prostration since August I. His patient had been suffering from hypochondria, and he had emphatically warned him against the use of any stimulants, even tea or coffee. In fact, he said, his condition was such that the excessive he said, his condition was such that the excessive he said, his condition was such that the excessive he said into the young man was not mentally or lightly responsible for his act.

John Frankenheimer, who appeared for Gutman, made an earnest plea for his client. He asked for time in which to submit a brief. Magistrate Kudilch said that, while he was inclined to set the case down for the consideration of a jury, he would give down for the consideration of a jury, he would give counse; the opportunity asked for. He then constinued the hearing to Friday next, and committed Gutman in 1800 hall. Bail was furnished by Eugene Lenjamin, a merchant, of No. 1619 Madison-ave.

### A FATAL BLOW FOR HIS WIFE. THE MAYOR IN HESTER-ST.

MURDER ON THE ROOF OF A DOVER-ST.

She was instantly killed, and it is

the baby from his wife and carry it downstairs. The woman refused to give him the infant. He flew in a rage and snatched the infant from her arms. His sister-in-law in turn grabbed the child away from him. He then became incensed at his wife.

"I will throw you off the roof!" he shouted, and made an effort to selze her. He appeared capable of carrying out his threat, so his wife retreated toward the middle of the roof.

O'Connor followed her. As she tried to avoid him he struck her a savage blow on the right side of the head. The blow knocked her down. In falling, her head came in contact with a beam. She lay senseless on the roof and never stirred after being knocked down. Her lifeless body was carried down to her apartments by her husband and Mrs. Glilespie. The latter told the police yesterday that she thought her sister was still living when carried from the roof, but she acknowledged that neither she nor the unfortunate woman's husband called a doctor to the house to see if anything could be done for her. A colored man, wasse name is not known, went to the Oak-st, station vesterday morning and told Acting Captain Thompson that a woman was dead at No. 6 Dover-st, and that her death needed investigation. The Acting Captain went to the house, accompanied by Detectives Galvin and Barlow, and learned the above facts regarding the woman's death.

O'Connor was found in the room where his wife's body lay and was taken into custody. The evidence against him is furnished by his sister-in-law and his little daughter May.

### WOMEN MAY RIDE HORSEBACK ASTRIDE

few weeks ago. Krauch and Butler arrested several

## PRICES IN THE MARKETS.

from Delaware has never been surpassed. The finest are the yellow Crawfords, and sell at retall ties of yellow peaches from California are likewise making a great display just now, especially on the fruit stands; but, though finer-looking fruit than that now coming from the Pacific orchards has never been offered for sale here, it cannot stand the competition of the Eastern peach. Baskets of the yellow-fleshed varieties sell all the way from \$1 25 to \$2 25. California Bartlett pears are 50 cents a box. Watermelons cost 25 to 35 cents each, and

To-morrow the season for wild ducks begins, but the demand for them is not likely to be great while the present hot and humid weather lasts. The prices of game have not changed from the figures quoted by The Tribune a week ago.

At the retail butchers' places prime rib roast

23 cents a pound, porterhouse steak is 28 cents a pound, sirioin steak 22 cents, fresh rump beef 16 cents, roundbone steak 18 cents, flatbone steak 22 cents, leg of beef 7 cents, fillet of beef 65 cents, plate corned beef 10 cents, rump corned beef 16 cents, oxtalls 10 cents, beef liver 10 cents a pound, kidneys are 15 cents each, veal chops 25 cents a pound, loin of yeal 20 cents a pound, leg of yeal 20 cents, breast of yeal 14 cents, shoulder of yeal 14 cents, veal cutlet is 15 cents a pound, fillet of veal 25 cents, calf's head 60 cents, calf's liver 65 cents, calves feet 10 cents each, sweetbreads 60 cents a pair.

Forequarter of mutton is 12% cents a pound, hindquarter 16 cents, rack quarter 18 cents, English saddle 20 cents, leg of mutton 16 cents, rack chops 22 cents. English chops are 28 cents, shoulder of mutton 8 cents, mutton kidneys 5 cents, bindquarter of lamb 20 cents, forequarter of lamb 15 cents, rack lamb chops 28 cents, saddle of lamb 22 cents, leg of lamb 29 cents, shoulders of lamb 12 cents, breast of lamb 12 cents, and loin chops of lamb 30 cents.

Rochester celery, crisp and clean and white, can be had for 90 cents a bunch, while Kalamazoo celery costs 60 cents a bunch; fresh ettuce is worth 5 cents a head; squash, 5 and 15 cents each; green corn, 15 cents a dozen; cauliflower, 5 to 15 cents each; chicory, 10 cents a bunch; parenips, 4 cents a bunch; sweet potatoes, 50 cents a lock; tomatoes, 5 cents a quart; egg plants, 10 to 20 cents each; purple cabbage, 5 to 15 cents a head, and mint, 5 cents a bunch.

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Long Island brook trout are \$1 a pound. The brook trout season is nearly over. Black bass are 18 cents a pound; large bass 30 cents and medium-sized bass as pound; large bass 30 cents and medium-sized bass as pound; large bass 30 cents a pound, and are quite small; large backfish are 15 cents a pound; and are quite small; large backfish are 12½ cents; coffish seak, 12½ cents; a pound; codfish, 8 cents; coffish seak, 12½ cents; dressed cells are small and are 18 cents a pound; flounders are small and are 10 cents a pound; large flukes are 12 cents; as pound; fresh mackere, large, are 35 cents each; haddock, 8 cents a pound; chicken halibut, 25 cents; large halibut, 90 cents; Long Island kingfish, 20 cents; arge, live lobsters, 25 cents; porgies, 12½ cents; western salmon, 30 cents; native Spanish mackerel, 30 cents a pound; green smelts, 25 cents; small sea bass, 15 cents; large sea bass, 15 cents; sole, 12 cents; skate or ray fish, 10 cents, and small weakfish are 10 cents a pound; crab meat is 50 cents apound; frogs legs are 60 cents a pound; hard crabs are 40 cents a dozen; prawns, with shells on, are 50 cents a quart; soft crabs are \$1 a dozen; green turtle is 13 cents a pound; large clams, opened, are 75 cents per 100; medium are 70 cents per 100; Little Neck clams are 60 cents per dozen; bloater herring are \$150 a box; smoked mackere! to 25 cents a pound; sait salmon is 25 cents a pound; sait mackerel, extra bloaters, are \$550 a kit; extra bloaters, no. 1, are \$550 a kit; extra bloaters, No. 1, are \$550 a kit; extra bloaters, no \$550 a kit; extra bloaters, are \$550 a kit; extra bloaters, best bound; best boneless cod, in two-pound tablets, is 12 cents a pound.

COL WARING GETS HIS MONTHLY ALLOWANCE. Commissioner Waring got his monthly allowance for August yesterday from the Board of Estimate amounting to about \$117,000. Of this sum \$80,578 65 was granted on the certificate of the Board of Health that the present sanitary condition of the city cannot be maintained urless the streets are ceaned. The Commissioner's payrolls amounted to \$32,686 86 additional, which came out of the de-

pleted regular street-cleaning appropriation. A letter from the Corporation Counsel was read, deciding that the Commissioner of Public Works possessed the necessary power to consolidate the Bureau of Street Improventants with that of the Water Purveyor, in his department. This opinion was called out by the contention of ex-Superintendent William M. Dean, of the 'ormet bureau, that he had been unlawfully deposed when his bureau was abolished. A letter from the Corporation Counsel was read,

## A CONTEST OVER LIMA OIL.

Ohio won without turning a hair. The c came over Lima oil. Some thirty members of the petroleum trade met in the managers' room of the Exchange to determine whether they would recom mend to the managers that they declare Lima off henceforth to be a good delivery.

The excitement was afforded by Hugh King, of

McGoey & King, oil brokers of No. 13 William-st., on the one side and James McGee, representing the Standard Oil, on the other. Mr. King attacked Lima oil vigorously and declared it to be a very sylvania oil. Mr. McGee declared that while Lima crude oil was full of sulphur and years ago gave an inferior refined product, to-day the product was equal to that of any field in this country, owing that Mr. King mixed up crude and refined Lima of

in his mind.

When the question came to a vote Mr. King, his partner and Edward Sohns voted against Lima oil, while everybody else said "aye" to the resolution, which struck out the exception in Rule 25, excluding the oil from being classed as a good delivery. Mr. King declared this a Standard Oil victory and threw away the piece of tape he held in his hand, on which Tona oil, a Pennsylvania product, was quoted at 150, Pennsylvania at 125 and Lima at 68. The matter now goes to the managers, who are expected to ratify the decision of the trade.

trade.

A visorous protest against Lima oil was made in the form of a letter from the Producers' Oil Company, of Warren, Penn., which asserted that the company represented more than 1,00 crude oil producers of Pennsylvania, New-York, Ohio and West Virginia. The communication was made in the interest of "nigh-grade, non-sulphurous" petroleum.

ACCUSED OF TRYING TO RUIN A BUSINESS.

Atwood Violett & Co. write as follows

Vernon will entertain the party at inncheon, after which they will go to the ball grounds. The game will be called at 2:20 p. m. The members of the Boards of Aldermen of Yonkers and Mount Vernon will witness the game.

## DR. HOUGHTON'S LETTER TO THE HEALTH BOARD

President Wilson, of the Health Board, said yesterday that the letter from the Rev. Dr. Houghton terday that the letter from the Rev. Dr. Houghton in reference to his delay in returning marriage certificates showed that Dr. Houghton in no way intended to put the Department to any inconvenience. It is optional with the Board as to whether or not Dr. Houghton is to be prosecuted, and the matter will be decided next Tuesday, at which time Dr. Houghton's letter will be made public. Mr. Wilson said the Board was not desirous of inflicting punishment except with the object of securing obedience to the Board's regulations.

## PRAISE FOR THE UNITED PRESS.

Buffalo, Aug. 30 .- "The Evening Times," a mem Press, was the only paper in this city yesterday afternoon to print a full account of the big pacing race at Fleetwood Park. Commenting on this fact

to-day, "The Times" says:

While the Chicago Associated Press was interviewing Presidents Diaz and Cleveland yesterday about its alieged daily news service to the City of Mexico, the United Press and the New-York Associated Press were giving their clients the news. This was shown in the exclusive publication in "The Times" of the defeat of John R. Gentry and Joe Patchen by Robert J., the most important telegraphic news item of the day. The latter associations by having "The Times" as their client were enabled to send out the exclusive announcement that the Hon. Wilson S. Bissell had been offered the United States Supreme Court Judgeship.

Pittsburg, Aug. 30.—The following is an editorial in "Volksblatt" of this date:

We deem it a duty to publicly express our appre-

the Union Telegraph and News Company in favor of the Kiernan News Agency.

The plaintiffs assert that the defendants, having temporary charge of their business during a part of the summer, deitherately tried to disarrange and disorganize the business of the plaintiffs for the purpose of breaking it up and discrediting it, and turning it over to a rival news agency. The plaintiffs aver that their standing and goodwill have been injured in a sum far exceeding \$50,000.



THE ARTIST ON THE JOB AGAIN.

TYRE (TO ARTIST, WHO IS MAKING A SKETCH)—WELL, PRAPS YOU'LL KNOW ME AGAIN WHEN U SEE ME."
THE ARTIST—NO. NOT IF YOU WASH YOUR FACE—(The Sketch.

NEW-YORK REAL ESTATE

THE SUMMER HAS BEEN THE BEST, AS INGARDS

when ground on Manhattan Island is offered for sale.

'In my judgment, therefore, the autumn trade in real estate should be large and compare well with everything in its past history in this city. The most encouraging signs prevail everywhere. General business prospects were never better, and the real estate investor has his money in hand, to take advantage of the situation. The number of leases of residential property as well as of business property in the retail districts in the months of June, July and August, have exceeded any recorded for a corresponding period during the last ten years. And what is more to the point, prices have been maintained. The demand for residential properties is particularly active with us in the Murray Hill district. We could not expect a better outlook for the neighborhood. The applications for houses both for sale and for rent are argely in excess of last spring, and it might be said, incidentally, that last spring was the poorest renting season in years. The demand for houses on leasehold is greater than usual, and we will find it difficult to meet it with the supply. Furnished houses are in especial demand. So far as applications for unimproved property are concerned, builders appear to have much confidence in the future, but their purchases of lots are judiciously made."

FIT AT THE CHUTE, CONEY ISLAND, TO

mals and children, which compose it, will have an exhibit of a varied character. This exhibit will comprise appliances for the rescue and instruments of torture of animals, models of steamships and cars used in the transportation of stock on sea and land, models and photographs of the principal zoological parks, showing the care of will animals in finement; photographs of the jail, headquarters, huts of police patrol, peachers and peaching outlits of the Yellowstone National Park; humane literature for distribution, etc. The object of the exhibit is more particularly to arouse interest and extend the hu-mane movement in the Southeastern States, where It is hoped to create new societies and reorganize and make stronger those now in existence,

The expenses of the exhibit and such work will quite heavy. The societies, having passed through several years of hard times, have em

be quite heavy. The societies, maving passed through several years of hard times, have emerged weak financially. In order to assist them as much as possible, a benefit has been arranged at the Chute, Coney Island, on September 13, at which the Paul Boyton Company will loan its grounds for the entire day and night, and give the proceeds to the fund. Many amusement companies have contributed to make a great fête. There will be boat and bicycle races down the chute, balloon ascensions, fireworks, and at night people are invited to bring masquerade costumes. The many features and specialities will be announced later.

The exhibit was organized by William Hosea Ballou vice-president of the American Humane Association, No. 98 Broad-st., and Captain Joseph F. Burke, president of the Atlanta Humane Society. The official Committee of Management, besides these men, is composed of John G. Shortall, president of the Hillinois Humane Society and the Humane Association, Chicasto, Martin B. V. Davis, secretary of the Pennsylvania S. P. C. A., J. S. Panchen, secretary Atlanta Humane Society, Frederick W. Young, president American Humane Education Society and the Massachusetts S. P. C. A., Boston, Albert Leftingwell, vice-president American Humane Association, Summit, N. J., A. S. Pratt, president Washington Humane Society, and H. S. Sait, honorary secretary, Humanitarian League of Loadon, England.

William R. Thomson, the representative in Boston of several foreign lace houses, who was arrested while trying to smuggle in a lot of laces that were found concealed on his person, came up

DIFFICULTY ABOUT THOMSON'S BAIL.

for examination before Commissioner Alexander yesterday. Abram J. Rose appeared for the defendant, and said that as his client had not yet been able to get bail, he would ask for an adjournment. This raised a protest from Assistant District-Attorney Hinman, who said that the post-ponement of the case would interfere with his vacation. Mr. Rose said that the case could go over until Mr. Hinman's vacation was over, and that Thomson be released if he gave the necessary ball in the mean time. This was finally agreed upon, and the case set down for September 17. Thomson, in spite of the fact that he says he has good connections in Boston and abroad, has been unable to get hall, and has been in Ludlow-st, jall for the last four days. He said that friends from Boston would arrive to-day and furnish the necessary ball, which is fixed at \$1,500. ment. This raised a protest from Assistant Dis-

HE FOUND THE ASSOCIATION PROSPEROUS. Augustus F. Harvey, Actuary of the Insurance New-York on August 23 to ascertain how far the equities between members of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association had been maintained in the recent increase of assessments, sent the following telegram to James R. Waddell, Superintendent of the Insurance Department at St. Louis:

Am practically through. Mutual Reserve's as-sessments have been legally and equitably made, Policy-holders should read carefully all there is in the assessment notice. Association undoubtedly solvent and prosperous. Policy-holders generally commend the increase.

DR. PIERSON WILL PREACH IN THIS CITY The Sunday services in the Fourth Avenue Presbyterian Church have been well sustained during the summer. Dr. Arthur T. Pierson, the wellknown preacher who has been so popular at North-field for many years, will preach until the end of September. It is expected that Dr. Davies, the pastor of the Fourth Avenue 'hurch, who is now in the Adirondacks, will have charge of the services of Hope Chapel during part of the vacation of its pastor. This chapel is a branch of the Fourth Avenue Church and is in East Fourth-st., near Avenue D.

The regular reader of

THE

# Sunday Tribune

waits to see what is in it, just as he used to wait for his Christmas stocking. This list is not to make you read the paper-you would do that without it-but to gratify your curiosity by telling you in advance a part of what you will find. But there will be much that is not named here, so there are still surprises for

### A Great English Town. The progress of municipal gov-

ernment in Birmingham.-A model sewage farm.

### How Boys Work a Ship. An interesting talk with an of-

Mary's.

ficer of the school ship St.

# A cleverly written character

sketch on the remarkable development of a boy. Hunter's Financial Troubles.

### The costly attempt to collect a California State bounty on a

Topics in Paris. A princely gift-The chateau of

Amboise to become a home for

# soldiers and sailors.

Rich Materials and Plain Cuts. Some unusually interesting fore-

casts of fashions for women.

# Fashions for Men.

Not so fascinating as those for women, perhaps, but still important in their way.

# Albert Besnard.

An account of the artist's studio in Paris and his work.

## Vanishing Paper Forests.

A speculation as to how the trees for pulp-making are likely to hold out.

# The Abuse of a Social Custom.

How the giving and receiving of letters of introduction are overdone.

# "Armenia, A. D. 1894-5."

A new poem by Sir Lewis Morris, written for the committee of the Duke of Argyll's Armenian Relief Fund.

And all the usual feat-

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# COTTON BEARS MAKE A RAID